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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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STEPHEN MITCHELL

Plaintiff(s),

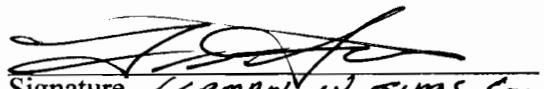
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CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

v.
DR. HAROLD NEMTZ, OPEN DOOR
COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, U.S.
DEPT. of HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
and DOES 1-20, inclusive,
Defendants /

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party
hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further
proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the
judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Dated: September 17, 2007


Signature *Herman W. Sims, Esq.*

Counsel for STEPHEN MITCHELL
(Plaintiff, Defendant or indicate "pro se")